

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
MARSHALL DIVISION

CENTOCOR, INC., ET AL

v.

ABBOTT LABORATORIES

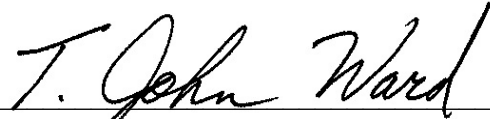
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No. 2:07-cv-139 (TJW)

**ORDER**

This case is set for a status conference in Marshall, Texas, on November 2, 2007, at 10:30 a.m., before the Honorable T. John Ward and the Honorable Chad Everingham. The purpose of the conference will be to assign a claim construction hearing date and a trial setting. The parties shall be prepared to inform the court whether they will consent to trial before the Magistrate Judge.

SIGNED this 11th day of October, 2007.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "T. John Ward". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style. It is positioned above a horizontal line that serves as a separator between the signature and the printed name.

T. JOHN WARD

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE